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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re:	Lee et al.	Confirmation No.: 3472
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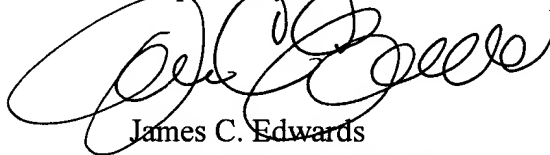
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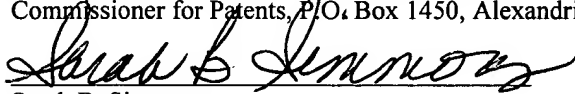


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